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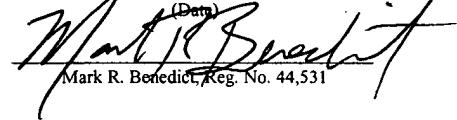
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2002, Applicants wishes to thank the Examiner for her indication that the above-referenced reissue application is in condition for allowance, except for surrender of the original patent.

Applicants surrender herewith the original patent in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.178. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request prompt allowance of the present reissue application. If there are any remaining matters that might be resolved by a phone call, the Examiner is kindly invited to call the undersigned at the number provided below.

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